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Reference: August Monthly Report (7/1/10-7/31/10)

Dear Mr. Norfleet:

This letter is in response to your request for additional information, dated October 1, 2010.

- 1. Your letter indicates that several of the employer and occupation entries have incomplete information. The Committee does follow the three-fold process of best efforts required to meet the Commission standards.

  Every solicitation includes a clear and conspicuous request for contributor information and informs the contributor of the requirements of federal law for the reporting of such information. Please note that the majority of the contributions are received via the internet and that the Committee's donor page will not allow a contributor to give without completing the employer and occupation information. The incomplete items that you list are exactly as the contributor entered them and, in most cases, the contributor has not provided additional information.

  If the information is not received, within 30 days of receipt, the contributor receives a request to provide this information. These requests are generally made by phone and email. This request restates the requirements. If the information is received by the Committee, it is updated and the affected report will be amended to reflect the new information.
- 2. Your letter indicates that the Committee did not file a 48 hour notice for one of its expenditures. Based on the information in your letter, it appears that the Committee did miss filing a 48 hour notice on the \$4000 payment to Intermarkets on 7/12/10 for Sharon Angle. However, the Committee has filed hundreds of 24 and 48 hour notices correctly and apologizes for missing this particular filing. The Committee has made every effort to properly file all 24 and 48 hour notices required for all independent expenditures. The Committee will continue to diligently track all independent expenditures and file all future notices as required.
- 3. The payment to Red Seal LLC of \$55150 on 7/26/10 was reported as an independent expenditure on the 48 hour notice filed on 7/27/10. The memo line of the entry on the 48 hour notice indicated that the expenditure was for Ken Buck and the office sought indicated that it was the Colorado Senate. However, the candidate name was disclosed in error as Mike Lee. Schedule E of the above referenced report accurately disclosed the expenditure as being made in support of Ken Buck in all sections of the entry. The Committee apologizes for any confusion.

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Sincerely,